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faculty club manager



Mrs. D. M. Barlow, the attractive former Manager of the Hillcrest Country Club, has become the new Manager of the Faculty Club. The Club has been without a Manager for the past four months during which time Mr. W. A. D. Burns, Assistant Registrar, has given endless hours to the Club as Acting Manager, in addition to his work in the Registrar's Office.

Mrs. Barlow is originally from Athabasca although she has lived most of her life in Edmonton. She began her career during the War in Victoria where she was Assistant Manager for three years of the Angela Hotel, a residential hotel mainly occupied by immigrating European noblemen. She started with the Hillcrest Country Club 11 years ago as Hostess in the dining room and gradually worked her way up the ranks to Manager. During that time she saw the membership increase from 350 to 580 members - a comparable size to the Faculty Club membership. Besides being well experienced in managing and catering, she is a trained bookkeeper.

Mrs. Barlow also runs a home for her husband and three children - two boys aged 12 and 21, and a girl 18. Her daughter hopes to attend the University of Alberta next year. Mrs. Barlow believes she is the only woman manager of a private club in Canada.

school of social work

The Board of Governors at their meeting in Calgary on April 2, gave approval to the establishment of a School of Social Work in Alberta and authorized the hiring of a Director to begin the planning of curriculum and the recruitment of staff. The location of the School will be determined at a later date.

It is hoped that if suitable staff can be found, the first classes can be offered in September, 1966 to students who have already received the Bachelor's degree in appropriate programs in the Liberal Arts or Social Sciences.

In taking this action the Board has recognized the increasing need for trained social workers throughout Alberta, and the importance of providing refresher courses for experienced social workers already in the field.

new junior colleges

Board of Governors has announced that affiliation with the Medicine Hat Junior College has been approved and the college will begin operating in September of this year. The Board has also given approval in principle to the establishment of a junior college in Grande Prairie.

In accordance with a recommendation of the University's Coordinating Council, the Medicine Hat Junior College will be affiliated with the University of Alberta for one year and will carry out an academic program beginning in September, in consultation with the University at Calgary.

Affiliation of the junior college in Grande Prairie will be subject to the provision of adequate staff and facilities.

assistant to dean of women

An Assistant to the Dean of Women has been appointed for the first time at the University of Alberta. Miss Mary Richardson will fill the position beginning September 1st.

Miss Richardson, a native of Victoria, B. C., is currently completing her Master's degree in Education at the University of Alberta. She is well trained in the fields of educational psychology and personal relations and has been employed for twelve years in this type of work.

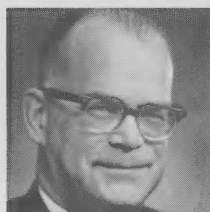
Miss Richardson received her early education in Victoria after which she attended McGill University where she was awarded the B.Sc. in Physical Education in 1951. She also has her teacher training certificate and has taken further courses in child psychology, guidance, and counselling. Upon completion of her Master's degree she will also accept a half-time appointment as Instructor in the Faculty of Education.

Miss Richardson's appointment as Assistant to the Dean of Women is a significant one. During the past year the Dean of Women has interviewed over 1100 first-year women students (not to mention hundreds of upperclass women as well). With an anticipated increase of 400 first-year students alone, Miss Richardson's time will be well spent helping Mrs. Sparling with this activity and many others as well.



faculty notes

prairie research centre



E. J. HANSON is an ad hoc Committee member at the University of Alberta, under the chairmanship of Dr. E. J. Hanson, Associate Dean of Graduate Studies, is proposing to establish an interprovincial Prairie Research Centre. According to the members of the Committee, "the prairie provinces are parasitic with respect to research and it is time for us to begin to carry out research ourselves, and to evolve ideas and values which are appropriate for our own region." The Committee feels that the three prairie provinces possess so many things in common, that studies which cross provincial boundaries are of vital importance if the true significance of what might be called the "Western Canadian Experience" is to be understood.

It is proposed that the Prairie Provinces Research Centre publish biographical and other information on research resources, sponsor regular conferences, organize travelling lectureships, administer grants-in-aid of research and publication, provide editorial direction of a major cooperative scholarly study of the region, and remove any obstacles to research. A Director of Research would be appointed with assistant directors drawn from the academic staffs of the prairie universities. Research topics to be studied include the geography and the history of the prairie provinces, the economic development of the prairie region and the future prospects, social and political trends and problems, educational requirements, literature, culture and the arts, a study of the indigenous peoples, and an analysis of the industrialization and urbanization of the prairies.

board of governors executive committee meeting

The following appointments, resignations, etc., were approved by the Executive Committee of the Board of Governors at their meeting April 2nd in Calgary.

APPOINTMENTS:

ANATOMY: Dr. D. A. Ollerich, Assistant Professor, effective Aug. 1/65.

CLINICAL MEDICINE: Dr. Otto Schaefer, Instructor, effective Sept. 1/65.

COMPUTING SCIENCE: Mrs. U. M. Von Maydell, Assistant Professor, effective Sept. 1/65.

DEAN OF WOMEN'S OFFICE: Miss Mary Richardson, half-time Assistant, effective Sept. 1/65.

FITNESS RESEARCH UNIT: As Assistant Professors, effective July 1/65: Dr. R. B. Alderman and Dr. Pedro Paez.

biochemistry

DR. H.B. COLLIER, Professor of Biochemistry, and Mrs. Collier have been invited to spend a month in the People's Republic of China as guests of the Chinese Government.

The trip has been arranged through negotiations between Dr. G. C. Andrew, Executive Director of the Canadian Universities Foundation and the Chinese People's Association for Cultural Relations with Foreign Countries as a cultural exchange. To complete the exchange a Chinese academic will visit Canada in the near future.

Dr. and Mrs. Collier plan to visit Japan between May 12th and 19th on their way to China. In China they will visit medical institutes and medical colleges as well as historical spots, agricultural areas and industrial developments in Peking, Nanking, Shanghai, Hangchow, and Canton.



H. B. COLLIER

Dr. Collier, who has received a travel grant from the National Research Council of Canada for this trip, will lecture to Chinese medical scientists on "Recent advances in the biochemistry of the red blood cell."

education

A two-year investigation into the value and organization of international student programs will be carried out by **DEAN H. T. COUTTS**, and **PROFESSORS EICK, GULAT-SAN, KNILL, KOCH, AND REGAN** with the help of a grant from the head office of the honorary education society, Phi Delta Kappa. This unique project is designed to investigate the areas which produce "culture shock" amongst foreign students, to study the organization of foreign student programs, and ultimately to recommend ways in which students studying at our universities under the External Aid Program can receive the maximum benefit from their experience here.

OBSTETRICS AND GYNAECOLOGY: Dr. P. R. Beck, Professor and Head, effective July 1/65.

PHYSIOLOGY: Mrs. J. E. Gaunce, Lecturer, effective Aug. 1/65.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE:

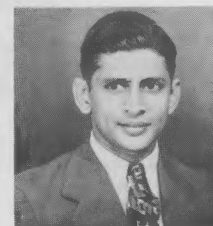
BIOCHEMISTRY: Dr. H. B. Collier, Professor, for six weeks, effective May 10/65.

ECONOMICS: Wahidul Hague, Assistant Professor for one year effective Sept. 1/65 to accept Ford Foundation Faculty Research Fellowship at Cambridge; D. M. Winch, Associate Professor for one year, effective Sept. 1/65.

FOOD SERVICES: Miss Eleanor Cairns for 3 months, effective June 15/65.

dairy and food science

A research grant of \$19,000 has been awarded to the Alberta Dairymen's Association Research Unit by the Committee on Industrial Research Assistance of the National Research Council, Ottawa. It is intended for studies on the oxidative deterioration of butter and its control.



T. S. RAJAN

The A. D. A. Research Unit, sponsored by individual dairy processing firms in Alberta, is under the direction of **DR. T. S. RAJAN**, Research Associate with the Department of Dairy and Food Science at the University of Alberta, which makes available the laboratory and pilot plant facilities for the research unit.

The purpose of this research unit is to study basic and applied research problems of importance to the dairy industry in Alberta. This is a unique undertaking in Canada. It is anticipated that a full complement of trained personnel will soon staff the research unit and that the Alberta dairy industry will fully utilize this service.

sociology

Drs. RUTH GRUHN and **ALAN BRYAN** of the Sociology Department have been awarded grants by the National Museum of Canada to carry out excavations during the coming summer. Dr. Gruhn will use her \$4,000 grant at an excavation site near Stettler to study a bison drive during the time of Christ. Dr. Bryan will use his \$3,000 grant to carry out excavations near Bonnyville, an early man site.

PHILOSOPHY: Dr. John Malcolm, Assistant Professor for one year, to accept a "Visiting Assistant Professorship," at Davis, University of California, effective Sept. 1/65.

RESIGNATIONS:

ANATOMY: Dr. Nancy Cameron, Assistant Professor, effective June 30/65.

HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS: Zenia Hawrysh, Assistant Professor, effective Aug. 31/65.

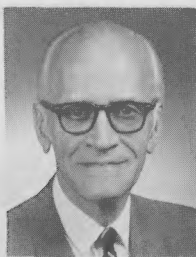
LAW: D. J. Sherbaniuk, Associate Professor, effective date to be determined.

PHYSIOLOGY: Dr. K. M. Chapman, Associate Professor, effective Aug. 31/65.

TECHNICAL SERVICES: R. D. Cooke, Coordinator, effective June 30/65.

spring convocation honorary degree candidates

PART I



DR. H. A. DYDE, Lawyer, business executive, soldier, and former University lecturer, is well known in Edmonton circles. He received the Rhodes Scholarship in 1917 upon completion of the B.A. at this University, and proceeded to Oxford where he received the B. C. L. During the First World War he served in Europe and was awarded the Military Cross and Bar. From 1923-39 he was in Edmonton engaged in the law practice and special lecturing in the faculties of commerce and law. He was also President of a number of organizations in Edmonton. From 1939 - 1945 he served as Military Secretary to the Minister of National Defence, as Secretary of the Defence Council, and as Secretary of the Army Council, with the rank of Colonel. When he retired from the army in 1945, he was awarded the O. B. E. Since then he has practiced law and for some time served as Hon. Colonel of the U of A Canadian Officers Training Corps.



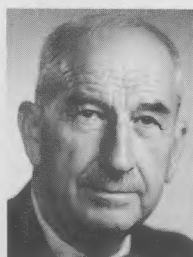
AIR CHIEF MARSHAL F. R. MILLER, 56, Chief of the Defence Staff in Ottawa, is the only man who has ever held both the senior military and senior civilian jobs in Canada's defence establishment. He is a 1931 B.Sc. graduate of the U of A in civil engineering. He began his airforce career in that same year when he joined the R. C. A. F. During the Second World War he worked his way up to the rank of Air Commodore and Director of Training with the Commonwealth Air Training Plan. Following V-J day he became Chief Staff Officer, then head of the Air Materiel Command and later Vice Chief of Air Staff until his posting as Air Vice-Deputy at SHAPE in Paris. It was while he was filling this post that he was asked in 1955 to step into the top civilian job in the Defence ministry. Five years later he was a full Air Marshal and Canada's top military man.

CHESTER A. RONNING, 70, well known to Canadians as High Commissioner to India for several years, has had a distinguished career with the Canadian External Affairs Department. Following graduation from the University of Minnesota with the B.Sc. and the U of A with the M.A., he served as Assistant Principal of Edmonton Public Schools and Vice-President of Hung Wen Shu Yuan, China. For 15 years from 1927 - 1942 he was Principal of Camrose College. He was an Alberta M.L.A. from 1932 - 1935. He served with the R. A. F. during W. W. I, and with the R. C. A. F. intelligence during W. W. II. His career with the External Affairs Department began in 1945 when he became the First Secretary of the Canadian Embassy in Chungking followed by succeeding posts as Chargé d'Affairs to the Canadian Embassy in Nanking, as Head of the Far Eastern Division of the Department in Ottawa, as a member of the U.N. delegation in 1953, and as Ambassador to Norway and Minister to Iceland prior to his appointment to India in 1957. He is now retired.

PART II



DR. J. A. ANDERSON, 62, Director-General of the Research Branch, Canada Department of Agriculture, occupies a respected position among the world authorities in Cereal Chemistry. After completing his B. Sc. in Agriculture and his M. Sc. in Plant Biochemistry at the University of Alberta, he attended the University of Leeds where he received the Ph. D. in 1930. He spent 9 years with the National Research Council in Ottawa as a biochemist. Beginning in 1939 he served for 23 years as Chief Chemist for the Board of Grain Commissioners in Winnipeg, and for one year as Director of the Agriculture Research Station at Winnipeg, before being appointed to his current post. He is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and of both the Chemical Institute and the Agricultural Institute of Canada. In 1957 the American Society of Cereal Chemists awarded him its highest honour - the Thomas Burr Osborne Medal, a medal awarded only 9 times in the past 32 years.



DR. J. A. MACFARLANE, 72, former Dean of Medicine and Vice-President for Medical Affairs at the University of Toronto has made outstanding contributions in the fields of patient care, medical education, and research in Canada. He received his formal education at the University of Saskatchewan and at the University of Toronto. He served in the First War with the Navy, and in the Second War as the Senior Surgical Consultant to all Canadian Forces overseas, a service which earned him the O. B. E. in 1945 and the U. S. Legion of Merit in 1946. He then became Dean of Medicine at the University of Toronto and has subsequently served as President of the Association of Canadian Medical Colleges and as a member of Government bodies concerned with medical education. Following his retirement as Dean he took up his current post. He is a Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, Edinburgh, and England, and has been awarded honorary degrees by the Universities of Laval and Brazil.



MR. A. W. PLATT, Executive Secretary of the United Farmers of Alberta Cooperative, gained an international reputation by developing Rescue Wheat, the first sawfly-resistant Canadian Wheat variety. A native of Innisfree, Alberta, Mr. Platt received the B.Sc. in Agriculture and the M.Sc. in Genetics and Plant Breeding from the University of Alberta, and 20 years later in 1956 returned to his alma mater to serve as a member of its Board of Governors. It was during his employment with the Canada Department of Agriculture that he made his important plant breeding discovery for which he was elected to fellowship in the Agriculture Institute of Canada. While farming near Lethbridge he was elected President of the Farmer's Union of Alberta in 1954. He has also served on the Royal Commission on Transportation, from 1960-63. Today he continues to farm and serves agriculture across Canada through his service on many formal and informal committees where his counsel is respected and appreciated.

calendar of events, april 16th to 30th

April 16 - Good Friday - University closed through to April 19th.

Bach's St. Mathew Passion will be performed by the Music Division Chorus, the University Singers and Chamber Orchestra at All Saint's Cathedral, 7:30 p.m. Tickets at \$2.00 are available from the Allied Arts Box Office; Room 211 Extension Department; and the Music Division Office.

April 17 - Faculty Club will be open.

April 18 - Easter Sunday.

April 19 - The Department of Extension presents a Drawing and Painting Workshop with Alex Colville, well-known Canadian artist. Details of the course, which continues through to April 23, are available at the Extension Office.

Easter Monday - the Faculty Club features family dining.

April 20 - Faculty Club Annual Meeting and Elections - The meeting, beginning at 8 p.m., requires 1/10 of the membership for a quorum. Bar prices will be reduced and free sandwiches and coffee will be served following the meeting.

April 23 - Faculty Club Spring Dinner and Dance - the wind-up social event of the winter session. Tickets at \$3.50 per person include a sit-down dinner, wine, and dancing, from 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. They are available at the Faculty Club.

April 26

& 27 - The Department of Continuing Medical Education is co-sponsoring a Spring Refresher Course at the Holy Cross Hospital in Calgary. Guest speaker is Dr. T. A. Watson, Head of Therapeutic Radiology at the University of Western Ontario and Director of the Ontario Cancer Treatment and Research Foundation. He will present the McGuffin Memorial Lecture.

A Food Symposium, sponsored in part by the Department of Dairy and Food Science, will be held at the N. A. I. T. Faculty members participating are Professors J. M. deMan and F. W. Wood of that Department.

April 29 - To provide Alberta Management people with an opportunity to learn what operations research is and the types of problems it can solve, the Department of Extension is presenting a one-day seminar in Scientific Management. Faculty members taking part are Professor F. R. Winter (Agricultural Economics), F. V. MacHardy (Agricultural Engineering), W. B. McMinn (Computing Science), R. A. Ritter (Chemical Engineering), and R. Pinola (Commerce).

NOTE: New recreational swimming hours are now in effect until further notice. They are 4:30 to 9:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 12 noon to 5 p.m., Saturdays and Sundays.

coming events

May 2 - 7 - The Department of Extension will present a Short Course in Labour Relations for Hospital Managers, at the University.

May 9 - 13 - The Department of Extension in conjunction with the Alberta Society of Petroleum Geologists will sponsor a National Conference on Earth Sciences, this year featuring a Marine Shallow-Water Sedimentation Symposium at Banff.

May 16 - 21 - The Alberta Pharmaceutical Association and the Faculty of Pharmacy in cooperation with the Department of Extension will present a course on "Pharmacology and Pharmacy of Drugs in the Treatment of Certain Diseases" for the continuing education of pharmacists. It will be held on campus.

June 9 - 12 - The First National Conference on Canadian Slavs, sponsored by the University of Alberta Inter-departmental Committee on Slavonic and Soviet Studies in cooperation with the Department of Extension, will be held at the Banff School of Fine Arts.

indian government awards

The Government of India is again offering three Awards for the year 1965 for visits (of three to six months duration) of senior educationists from Commonwealth countries to study and observe in any educational field of their choice. The awards cover return tourist class air travel, maintenance allowance, first class travel in India, and free medical and hospital facilities. Application and medical forms for these awards are available from: The Secretary, Canadian Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Committee, Canadian Universities Foundation, 75 Albert Street, Ottawa 4. Applications of nominees must be forwarded by C. U. F. to the ministry of Education of India by April 30 so interested persons are advised to act immediately.

classified

FOR SALE: A four bedroom, split level house in Laurier Heights, approximately 18 minutes drive from University; attached front drive garage; one and a half bathrooms; price \$18,500 with \$2,300 cash. Call W. H. Angus (Law), ext. 313, or 488-8264.

FOR SALE: A three bedroom, one and a half bathroom house in Lendrum Place; fenced and landscaped; less than two years old. For details call Assiniboia 45 or 433-5571.

agriculture award



The United Grain Growers recently awarded \$5,000 to the Department of Agricultural Economics for research in farm trends and prospects in Alberta. Shown in the picture from left to right are: Dr. W. M. Schultz, Research Associate; Dean C. F. Bentley; Mr. J. S. Stevens, Director of U.G.G.; Dr. T. W. Manning, Head of the Department of Agricultural Economics; and Dr. H. C. Love, Professor.